

CASPIANA FIELD
02-447 thru 02-461

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, AUGUST 6, 2002**, upon the application of **J-W OPERATING COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Rodessa Formation, Reservoir B, Hosston Formation, Reservoir A and Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A**, in the Caspiana Field, Caddo and DeSoto Parishes, Louisiana.

1. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize an alternate unit well for ROD RB SUC, at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application.
2. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize an additional alternate unit well for ROD RB SUJ, at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application.
3. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize an additional alternate unit well for ROD RB SUK, at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application.
4. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize two (2) additional alternate unit wells for HOSS RA SUE, at the locations shown on the plat submitted with the application.
5. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize three (3) additional alternate unit wells for HOSS RA SUR, at the locations shown on the plat submitted with the application.
6. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize an additional alternate unit well for HOSS RA SUC, at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application.
7. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize an additional alternate unit well for HOSS RA SUD, at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application.
8. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize an additional alternate unit well for HOSS RA SUL, at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application.
9. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize an additional alternate unit well for HOSS RA SUM, at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application.
10. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize two (2) additional alternate unit wells for CV RA SUE, at the locations shown on the plat submitted with the application.
11. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize three (3) additional alternate unit wells for CV RA SUR, at the locations shown on the plat submitted with the application.
12. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize an additional alternate unit well for CV RA SUC, at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application.
13. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize an additional alternate unit well for CV RA SUD, at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application.
14. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize an additional alternate unit well for CV RA SUL, at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application.
15. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize an additional alternate unit well for CV RA SUM, at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application.

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16. To permit the drilling of each of the proposed alternate unit wells at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application or at any legal location within the unit on which it is proposed to be drilled.
17. To approve exceptions to the well location provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 191-D-3, effective February 1, 2000 (applicable to the Rodessa Formation, Reservoir B), Office of Conservation Order No. 191-B, effective April 15, 1975 (applicable to the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A) and Office of Conservation Order No. 191-A, effective February 15, 1975 (applicable to the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A) for any of the proposed wells, the location of which, as shown on the plats submitted with the application, does not comply with the well location provisions in said Orders.
18. To find that each of the proposed alternate unit wells is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the unit on which it is proposed to be drilled which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well on such unit.
19. To permit the operator of ROD RB SUC, ROD RB SUJ and ROD RB SUK, to produce the allowables assigned to these units from either the unit well, from any alternate unit well, or from any combination of such wells at the option of the operator.
20. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Rodessa Formation, Reservoir B, in the Caspiana Field, Caddo and DeSoto Parishes, Louisiana, is defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 191-D-3, effective February 1, 2000.

The Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, in the Caspiana Field, Caddo and DeSoto Parishes, Louisiana, is defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 191-B, effective April 15, 1975, and in Office of Conservation Order No. 191-B-62, effective May 14, 2002.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Caspiana Field, Caddo and DeSoto Parishes, Louisiana, is defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 191-A, effective February 15, 1975.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana or may be found at the following site:

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH

COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION - ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P. O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.